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Subject: Notification of Bond Release Application of Areas to be reclaimed, Alton Coal Development, Coal Hollow Mine, Permit # C/025/0005, Task # 7788

Dear Mr. Haddock:

I am a land owner and have leased some of my land to the Alton Coal Company. The southern part of the reclaimed Mined area is my Land.

I have been in contact with Priscilla Burton and yourself about this matter. Ms. Burton has E-mailed to me Pre-Mining and Post-Mining topography and drawings, she sent me pre-mining Photographs. Of the Area. I cannot make out my property from the photos. I don't have the skill to make sense out of the topography maps.

My problem is that I don't agree that the land has been restored to the same contour as the original shape and grade the county road is higher than it was before and the slope from the road to the east is not as flat as it was before. I have been told by the mine that it has been restored the same as it was and it has not. I don't want to cause a problem for the mine but I think it should be restored back to original.

My other concern is the culverts under the road to my Ranch. During a serious runoff or flood the culverts do not seem large enough to drain the water.

I'm sorry I could not be there for the Inspection. I don't want to have trouble with the mine people because of all this. There are others that have commented that the land is higher than it was before.

All of this restoration was made last winter when I was not around.

Thank you

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